



## **Green Iowa AmeriCorps Energy Unit Program Iowa Department of Natural Resources**



### **AmeriCorps Position Description Cedar River Corridor *Blackhawk and Linn Counties***

#### **Green Iowa Energy Corps Team Members**

Half-time (6 months – minimum of 900 hours) AmeriCorps Positions

Quarter-time (3 months – minimum of 450 hours) AmeriCorps Positions

Become part of the national service program and organize green rebuilding or renovating home projects in partnership with established community organizations. Green Iowa Energy Corps team members will lead the environmentally conscious Iowa rebuild efforts in Cedar Falls, Cedar Rapids, and surrounding communities.

#### **Position Duties:**

- Develop projects, with timelines, that deal specifically with incorporating energy efficient methods in homes in disaster impacted communities.
- Coordinate with local organizations already doing rebuild efforts in communities to incorporate eco-friendly construction and renovation in neighborhoods.
- Coordinate with local organizations already doing energy efficiency work in communities to ensure there is no duplication of services.
- Provide energy education in community outreach including presenting to civic and social organizations; going door to door in communities to discuss and hand-out information; and connecting people to energy efficiency resources.
- Assess current homes and identify potential energy saving projects.
- Recruit volunteers to participate in implementing neighborhood projects which would result in energy savings.
- Serve in AmeriCorps teams doing home efficiency improvement projects.
- Participate in AmeriCorps program activities including but not limited to service projects, orientations, and reporting.